

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *a*, near the Kowloon shore *b*, and those in the body of the shipping or midway between each shore are marked *c*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

- Section.**
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
 5. From The Market to Pudding's Wharf.
 6. From Pudding's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

- Section.**
7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
 9. From Kowloon to North Point.
 10. Kowloon Wharves.
 11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Frig and Rig.	Tons nett.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers							
Aleia.....	J. Meyerdratck.	Ger. str.	3312	Oct. 14	Gastowitz & Co.		
Ariel.....	Rosen.	Norw. str.	993	Oct. 16	O. E. & M. Co.		
Ashton.....	G. Irvin.	Brit. str.	23.0	Oct. 12	Admiral.		
Australian.....	G. Holmes.	Brit. str.	19.8	Oct. 15	Hibb. Livingston & Co.		
Bonadore.....	S. Scharet.	Brit. str.	1110	Oct. 15	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Canton.....	G. Wink.	Brit. str.	1741	Oct. 13	David Sasoon, Sons & Co.		
Catharine Appear.....	K. Jaffert.	Brit. str.	2741	Oct. 19	O. & O. S. S. Co.		
Coptic.....	J. Laven.	Ger. str.	9.5	Oct. 11	Wiemann & Co.		
Danica.....	J. Anderson.	Brit. str.	1201	Oct. 13	Lauw. Weeney & Co.		
Empress of China.....	A. Shubeld.	Brit. str.	8.03	Oct. 13	P. C. R. Co.		
Formosa.....	Mifroy.	Brit. str.	674	Sept. 25	Douglas Steamship & Co.		
Fusang.....	H. Lunt.	Cn. str.	1504	Oct. 15	G. M. S. N. Co.		
Glenys.....	J. Hill.	Brit. str.	2249	Oct. 13	P. M. S. S. Co.		
Hilcong.....	H. Robson.	Brit. str.	783	Oct. 15	Douglas Steamship Co.		
Hornet.....	J. Jones.	Norw. str.	849	Oct. 14	J. J. Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Hohenzollern.....	J. Wolterstorff.	Ger. str.	20.9	Oct. 10	Melchers & Co.		
Houkong.....	Bastian.	Feht.	739	Sept. 29	A. R. Mart.		
Hsi Ping.....	J. Elhardt.	Chin. str.	12.9	Oct. 9	G. E. & M. Co.		
Iaido Kwa.....	Rosen.	Span. str.	626	Oct. 14	Order		
Kinabung.....	Hansen.	Ger. str.	624	Oct. 11	J. J. Jardine & Co.		
Kong Bong.....	H. Jodin.	Brit. str.	1490	Oct. 14	Admiral.		
Kwang I.....	G. Harris.	Brit. str.	1490	Oct. 14	Admiral & Son		
Medea.....	Frigat.	Brit. str.	1839	Oct. 11	C. M. S. N. Co.		
Minam.....	G. Wilson.	Brit. str.	9.27	Oct. 11	Butterfield & Swire		
Michel de Josselin.....	H. Huxley.	Ger. str.	7.0	Oct. 14	J. J. Jardine & Co.		
Munichia Indra.....	E. Evans.	Brit. str.	1871	Oct. 12	Tomas, Tomes & Co.		
Nautilus.....	E. Evans.	Span. str.	6.62	Oct. 14	Sheean, Tomas & Co.		
Neptun.....	E. Evans.	Span. str.	624	Oct. 11	Sheean, Tomas & Co.		
Orion.....	D. Dene.	Brit. str.	1691	Oct. 13	Dodd, Carrill & Co.		
Pisces.....	J. Has.	U. str.	87	Oct. 14	Order		
Procyon.....	G. Brandt.	Ger. str.	637	Oct. 14	Siemens & Co.		
Prometeo.....	Mayer.	Ger. str.	7.0	Sept. 24	Siemens & Co.		
Roheta.....	Bishop.	Brit. str.	2039	Oct. 13	O. & O. S. N. Co.		
Satine Kickmores.....	G. Nasbet.	Brit. str.	598	Oct. 13	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Silvan.....	E. Lake.	Brit. str.	1643	Oct. 13	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Sunkang.....	R. Rendle.	Brit. str.	994	Oct. 14	Gutteridge & Swire		
Taichow.....	J. Priourross.	Brit. str.	862	Oct. 12	Yeu Fa Hong		
Tai Leo.....	Kock.	Ger. str.	828	Oct. 13	Shewan, Tomas & Co.		
Taising.....	Sawer.	Brit. str.	1580	Oct. 14	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Telomachus.....	G. Sawyers.	Brit. str.	1330	Oct. 10	Butterfield & Swire		
Trice.....	G. Dinsco.	Ger. str.	1333	Oct. 10	Na Wu		
Sailing Vessels							
Adel Obrig.....	J. Armstrong.	Amer. bqr.	1802	July 30	Standard Oil Co.		
B. F. Packart.....	J. Armstrong.	Amer. bqr.	2013	Oct. 14	Matex		
Janzen.....	J. Wall.	Amer. m. str.	2736	Aug. 20	Standard Oil Co.		
Mary J. Chisholm.....	J. Pendleton.	Amer. str.	1097	Aug. 20	Standard Oil Co.		
Santa Cruz.....	J. Keast.	Amer. str.	1573	June 17	Standard Oil Co.		
St. James.....	J. Pekey.	Amer. str.	99	Aug. 17	Order		
St. Paul.....	J. Great.	Amer. str.	1453	Aug. 19	Standard Oil Co.		
Windoe Cuarte.....	J. Law.	Brit. bqr.	2510	Oct. 10	Standard Oil Co.		
			813	Sept. 19	Sander, Wisler & Co.		
					Ab'den Dock		

Intimations.

HAPPY RETREAT,

HAPPY VALLEY, SOUTH END OF RACE COURSE,
REFRESHMENTS, DINNERS
to be had at all times.
SPACIOUS TENNIS GROUND
Available at \$1.50 per Acre-hour
(from 3 to 7 P.M.)
Tea-party Entertainments served at
Moderate Prices.

HO MAK-CHONG,
Proprietor.

Hongkong, September 20, 1898. — 1785

JAPANESE
FINE ART CURIOS.

KUHN & KOMOR,
21 & 23, Queen's Road, Hongkong;
86, Water Street, Yokohama; and
26, Division Street, Keih.

NEW VICTORIA HOTEL

ROTISSERIE,

Made à la Carte.

CHOPS, STEAKS, etc., etc., at any
time, between 7.30 a.m. and 11.30
p.m.Monthly Boarders at Moderate Rates.
Madar & Farmer,
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 8, 1898. — 178.

Mitsui Bussan Kaisha,

No. 6, Ice House Street, Praya Central.

HEAD OFFICE—TOKIO.

BRANCH OFFICE—LONDON, NEW YORK,
BOMBAY, SINGAPORE, SHANGAI, TIN-
THIN, NEWchwang, and all Ports in
JAPAN.

AGENCIES:

MINER COAL MINES.

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TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

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IMPERIAL GOVT. PAPER MILLS, JAPAN.

COTTON CLEANING & WASH. CO., SHAI.

ONODA CEMENT COMPANY, JAPAN.

KANTOZU COTTON SPINNING MILLS, JAPAN.

TOKIO COTTON SPINNING MILLS, JAPAN.

HAYANO CLOTH FACTORY, JAPAN.

Hongkong, August 8, 1898. — 1785

WINDSOR HOTEL,

HONGKONG.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT, situated in the
elegant Building known as CON-
NAUGHT HOUSE, offers First-Class Accom-
modation to Residents and Travellers.Passenger Elevator, from Entrance Hall
to each Floor, in charge of experienced
Attendants.Furnished Arrangements made for
Families and for Monthly or Extended
Periods.

BILLIARDS.

P. BOHM,
Proprietor and Manager.

Hongkong, September 21, 1897. — 1897

NOTICE.

NO RECEIPT for MONEY DUE to
THE OWNER is Authorised unless
Signed by G. MURRAY BIRD of THIS
E. BIRD.

BAIN & REID.

China Mail Office, Hongkong, April 18, 1898.

WARNING BOOKS.

WADDELL'S BOOKS, for the use
of Legation Guardsmen, and now
also of the Chinese Police, etc.

Price 10/- per volume.

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

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THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER JAPAN, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo — Form MADAGAS, ex s.s. *Thames*. From MADAGAS, ex s.s. *Lodijana* and *Lajapou*.

"Optional Goods will be landed, unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. To-day, 14th Instant.

Goods not cleared by the 20th instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to range and storage.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in my case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 14, 1898. — 1938

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THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER CHUSAN.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo —

From LONDON, ex s.s. *Oceanus*, From AUSTRALIA, ex s.s. *Riaria*. From PERSIAN GULF, ex s.s. *Pachmarie* and *Nasri*.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 10 a.m. To-day, the 14th instant.

Goods not cleared by the 20th instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to range and storage.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in my case whatever.

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Hongkong, October 14, 1898. — 1939

STEAMSHIP CALEDONIAN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

C O N S I G N E E S of Cargo from London and Havre ex s.s. *Bayard*, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, Limited, at Kowloon, where each delivery may be obtained immediately after arrival.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 a.m. To-morrow, the 15th instant.

Goods not cleared by the 20th instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to range and storage.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in my case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognized.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Saturday, the 15th instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent to me in or before SATURDAY, the 15th October, or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on SATURDAY, the 15th October, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, October 9, 1898. — 1930

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SOUTH SHIELDS, NEWCASTLE, LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. *Nippon Maru*, Capt. F. R. Evans, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., Ltd., at Kowloon, and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th Inst., will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 19th Inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN, TOME & Co., Agents.

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Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW

The Co.'s Chartered S.S. *Kinghorn*, Captain JESLIN, will be despatched for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 16th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 14, 1898. — 1937

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR KEDAT AND SANDAKAN

The Co.'s Steamship *Melior*, Captain FULLAM, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 17th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, October 13, 1898. — 1946

NOTICE.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA

The Co.'s Steamship *Nightingale*, Captain RENDELL, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 17th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, October 13, 1898. — 1935

NOTICE.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO

The Co.'s Chartered S.S. *Taihoku*, Captain PRIMROSE, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 18th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

D O U G L A S L A P R A I K & C o . , General Managers.

Hongkong, October 13, 1898. — 1934

NOTICE.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW

The Co.'s Chartered S.S. *Meridian*, Captain TOWELL, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 18th instant, at 4 p.m.

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CHINA NAVIGATION

THE CHINA MAIL.

This afternoon the Volunteers had a march out to North Point.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.
SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.'

London, 13th October, 1898.

TURKEY, CRETE AND THE POWERS.

The Porte proposes to retain a small garrison in Crete as an emblem of sovereignty.

MAJOR MARCHAND AT FASHODA.

Acredited reports have reached London that Major Marchand is in such straits that it is impossible for him to remain long at Fashoda.

THE UNITED STATES.

President McKinley, speaking at Omaha, referred to the new grave problems confronting the nation. He said the country must avoid the temptation of unilateral aggression, and must aim only at securing its own general welfare. The United States had never been a military government.

(*L'Extreme Orient*)

THE FRENCH CHAMBERS.

Paris, Oct. 5.

The re-opening of the Chambers fixed for 25th October.

POINTS D'APPUI.

A decree decides that the *points d'appui* of the fleet in Indo-China will be—Cape St. James for Cochinchina and Port Courbet for Tonkin.

TYPHOON NOTICE.

Senor Jose de Navarro, Spanish Consul, courteously informs us he has received the following telegram from the Manila Observatory:

MANILA, 13th October, 4 p.m.

'Typhoon is apparently recurring in the China Sea.'

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Observatory:

On the 13th at 11.25 a.m. The barometer has fallen moderately on the China coast. The typhoon seems to be lying yet to the W. of N. Luzon; its position being apparently very little changed since yesterday. In the North, a depression appears to be situated in the W. part of the Sea of Japan. Gradients slight on the coast, steep with N. and N.E. gales in the N.E. part of the China Sea. Forecast:—moderate N.E. and N. winds: fine.

The North German Lloyd China and Japan present monthly service is to be made fortnightly from the commencement of next year. Dr Wiegand, managing director of the North German Lloyd, has sailed for New York in the *Kaiser Friedrich*, en route for China and Japan, to visit the ports which will be affected by the new arrangement.

An aman employed at No. 35 Lower Lascar Row was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at the Magistracy to-day for the larceny of a cash box, containing \$70 and jewellery belonging to her mistress. The larceny took place on 16th September, and the aman was arrested last night on board the Canton boat, with the box, containing all the jewellery and about \$30 of money, in her possession.

The Japanese Government is evidently preparing to play its part at Peking should the present crisis develop into international complications. Tokyo telegrams state that communications are being constantly exchanged between the General Army Staff Department, the Army and Navy Departments, and the Foreign Office. The cruisers *Suma*, *Akagi* and *Chikusho* have all gone to Taku.

A CHINESE passenger by the Blue Funnel steamer *Tesmacki* was handed over to the Police last night on the arrival of the steamer, charged with stealing a travelling trunk belonging to another passenger. The box contained a sum of \$50. Yesterday, the cook on the vessel observed the prisoner going forward with the box, and arrested him. Prisoner was handed over to the chief officer and put in irons. At the Magistracy to-day he was sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

At the Supreme Court to-day, Hon. H. E. Pollock, Acting Attorney-General (instructed by Messrs Deacon and Hastings) made application to His Honour Sir John Cartington, Chief Justice, that Mr. Pervival Paul Chater Manuk be approved, admitted and enrolled as a barrister of the court. The affidavit of Mr. Manuk was to the effect that he was admitted to the Honourable Society of the Middle Temple on 16th November, 1891, and called to the bar of the same Society on 19th November, 1894. For the past four years he had resided in Burma, and had practised in the High Court of Calcutta and Burmah. An affidavit was also filed by the Hon. C. P. Chater, uncle of Mr. Manuk. His Lordship approved of the admission and enrolment of Mr. Manuk and wished him success in the practice of his profession. Mr. Manuk was educated at Wren's College, and at Trinity Hall, Cambridge, and we are given to understand that he is possessed of considerable linguistic attainments.

TRANSASIAN and Cabin Pianos are invaluable and very strong.—Robinson Piano Co.

Saigon correspondent writes to the *Singapore Free Press*:—On the 3rd inst., the German firm of Menses Speidel & Co. suffered from a disastrous fire which entirely gutted out of their largest godowns in the Boulevard Charner. The fire raged from 9 p.m. till midnight, and the damage is estimated at about \$60,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

The Khoi Customs-house returns show that the value of exports and imports at Khoi during September compared with the corresponding month last year, was as follows:

Aug. 1897. Aug. 1898.

Exports ... \$2,905,246 £4,744,000

Imports ... 9,003,361 10,351,630

As will be seen, this shows a very decided improvement, especially in exports.

For the *Empress of the East*,—Clark's Wood and Bleed Mineral oil is recommended to cleanse the blood from all impurities from whatever cause arising. For Scrofula, Scurvy, Scurvy, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere at 2s. 9d. Beware of worthless imitations.

PIANO Tuning and Repairs, New Music, Mandolins, Banjos, fine stock.—Robinson Piano Co.

ACTED LIKE A CHARM.

MR. J. HARRY WATERS, BRAZIL,

Master, STATION SCHOOL, RAWALPINDI, says: "I regard Chamberlain's Palm Balm as the most useful household medicine. Have sent it used for toothache, rheumatism, an ointment for my bad twisted foot, and in each of three instances the Palm Balm and I have a cure."

Every one who uses Chamberlain's Palm Balm always speaks in the same terms. It must be kept in every house."

CHAMBERLAIN'S OINTMENT, MEDICINE, AND DRAUGHT.—This is the most successful medicine in use by Druggists, Physicians, Cosmetic Chemists, and others. It is a medicine I can recommend, and one that everybody should keep."

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THE CHINA MAIL.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1898.

Auctions.



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By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
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BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

MESSES. HUGHES and HOUGH have received instructions from the MORTGAGEES TO SELl BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, ON MONDAY,

the 24th day of October, 1898, at 3 p.m.,

ALL THAT VERY VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, situated at Victoria, Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as MARINE LOT NO. 110.

The Property which is known as Nos. 65,

67 and 68, FRAZER EAST, and Nos. 68 and 70, WANCHAI ROAD, is held for the Residue of a term of 99 years from 11th October, 1898, at the annual Crown Rent of £97.10.

Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be obtained from

MESSRS. DEACON & HASTINGS, Vendors' Solicitors;

35, Queen's Road Central, and from

The Auctioneers.

Hongkong, October 4, 1898. 1898

To Let.

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NO. 2, BALL'S COURT, (EAST) BONHAM ROAD, SIX ROOMS, LARGE GARDEN, STABLE, &c.

Apply to GEO. R. STEVENS,

1, Duddell Street,

Hongkong, October 14, 1898. 1900

TO BE LET.

FROM THE 1st OCTOBER.

A SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE, occupied by Capt. Sir H. G. T. E. K. FLAT IN WILD-DELL BUILDINGS.

Apply to HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong September 23, 1898. 1818

TO LET, FURNISHED.

"BICKTON," PLANTATION ROAD, GAR.

MOUNT GOUGH, at present occupied by Mr. H. F. MEYERINK; with Possession on 1st of November.

For further Particulars apply to

W. H. MEYERINK & Co.

Hongkong, October 12, 1898. 1944

TO LET.

BELVEDERE—5 ROOMED BUNGALOW,

PLANTATION ROAD—10 ft. BUR-

NISHED FOR 3 Months from 17th Septem.

SEMI-DETACHED VILLA RESI-

DENCES ON BONHAM ROAD—(Now

in course of erection).

PROPERTY now occupied by the

BOWINGTOWN SAW MILLS.

Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-

MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

Hongkong, October 10, 1898. 1934

SNOW FLAKE.

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I beg to inform my Patrons and Public generally that I have arranged to keep in Stock the well-known Brand of "SNOW FLAKE" KEROSEIN OIL which I am selling at a very moderate Price.

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To-day's Advertisements.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 464.

I, in behalf of the Henglong VOLUNTEER CORPS, do hereby give notice that the said CORPS will practice from the North side of Stone Cutters' Island in a North-Westerly direction, on SATURDAY, the 29th instant, between the hours of 2 p.m. and 6 p.m.

All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are

bidden to keep clear of the Range.

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Particulars of the Lot.

No. 468.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

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From Balchier in North-Western

directions.

From Ly-mon in North-Western

North-Eastern and South-Eastern direc-

tions.

From Stone Cutters' Island in Western

and South-Western directions.

All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are

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The inhabitants of the Houses near Balchier and Stone Cutters' Island are warned to keep their Glass Windows open during the Practice, and all People working in the vicinity of Balchier's Battery are also warned to keep clear of that part which will be indicated by Gunners placed on sentry for the purpose.

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OF Highest Quality, & having Greatest
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The only Award, Chicago, 1893.
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In Pins, 319, 95, 247, 164, 404, 7,000.
The New Turned-up Point, 1882.

No. 11,115

May 10, 1898

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1898.

Oct 1, 1898

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Business Notices.

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'QUEEN'S CHOICE'
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Telegram from Queen's Choice Proprietor to
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'Hearty congratulations on splendid victory.'

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THE GROUND FLOOR of the 'New Club' Premises—the best business position in the Colony. Suitable for High Class Shops or Offices.
Apply to THE SECRETARY,
A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED,
Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1898

WANTED.

A THOROUGH BOOK-KEEPER and
CORRESPONDENT for Shanghai
and or Tientsin, Portuguese not Wanted.
Apply to P. Q. R.

Office of THIS PAPER,
Hongkong, October 12, 1898. 1898

THE GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING CO.,
LIMITED.

In Accordance with This COMPANY'S
ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION, INTEREST
at the Rate of 8 Per Cent per Annum, is
being CHARGED on all Unpaid Calls.

LUGGENS, EINSMANN & CO.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, October 8, 1898. 1898

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-Fifth Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SOCIETY will be held at its Head Office, No. 4, The Praya, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 20th October, 1898, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statements of Accounts for the year 1897, and for the distribution of the sum of £500, and of Declaring DIVIDENDS.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 20th October, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

W. J. SAUNDERS,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, September 22, 1898. 1898

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S TOWN DÉPÔT, Wyndham Street, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 27th Instant, at NOON, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to the Satisfact of July last.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th Inst., to the 27th instant, both days inclusive.

W. HUTTON POTTS,
Secretary.

Hongkong, October 12, 1898. 1898

A N. EUROPEAN COURIER and
VALLET DE CHAMBER, used to
TRAVEL by Land and Sea, with best
reference, wishes suitable EMPLOYMENT
with ONE OR TWO GENTLEMEN.

Address to E. K.

Care of OFFICE of THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, October 13, 1898. 1898

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:

FOR STEAMSHIP CAPTAIN DATE.

NSAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Rosetta, E. P. BISHOP, 1 p.m., 17th October.

LONDON Formosa, A. G. UBBIT, R.N.R., About 20th October.

For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent,

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, October 14, 1898. 1898

PORTS.

TRADE MARK.	Hong Name	Tarragona	Black	\$7.00
	Choices Old Fruity	Yellow	11.00	
	Light Tawny	Green	13.00	
	Fine Fruity	White	14.00	
	Specially Selected	Bed	16.00	
	Superb Tawny	Black	17.00	
	Rich Old	Green	19.00	
	Elegant Old Tawny	Blue	24.00	
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OLD BOTTLED PORTS.

YUEN WO Special Old Green \$26.00

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